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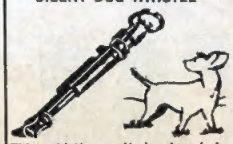

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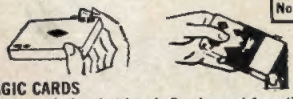

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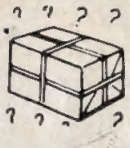

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With ROBIN THE BOY WONDER

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SECRET IDENTITIES for SALE!
MR. INCOGNITO MADE A MILLION DOLLAR DEAL WITH THIS WHEELER-DEALER TO OBTAIN OUR UNMASKED PHOTOGRAPH--
--BUT THE REAL PAY-OFF WILL COME WHEN THEY ARE HANDED OUT LONG-TERM PRISON SENTENCES!
BOB KANE

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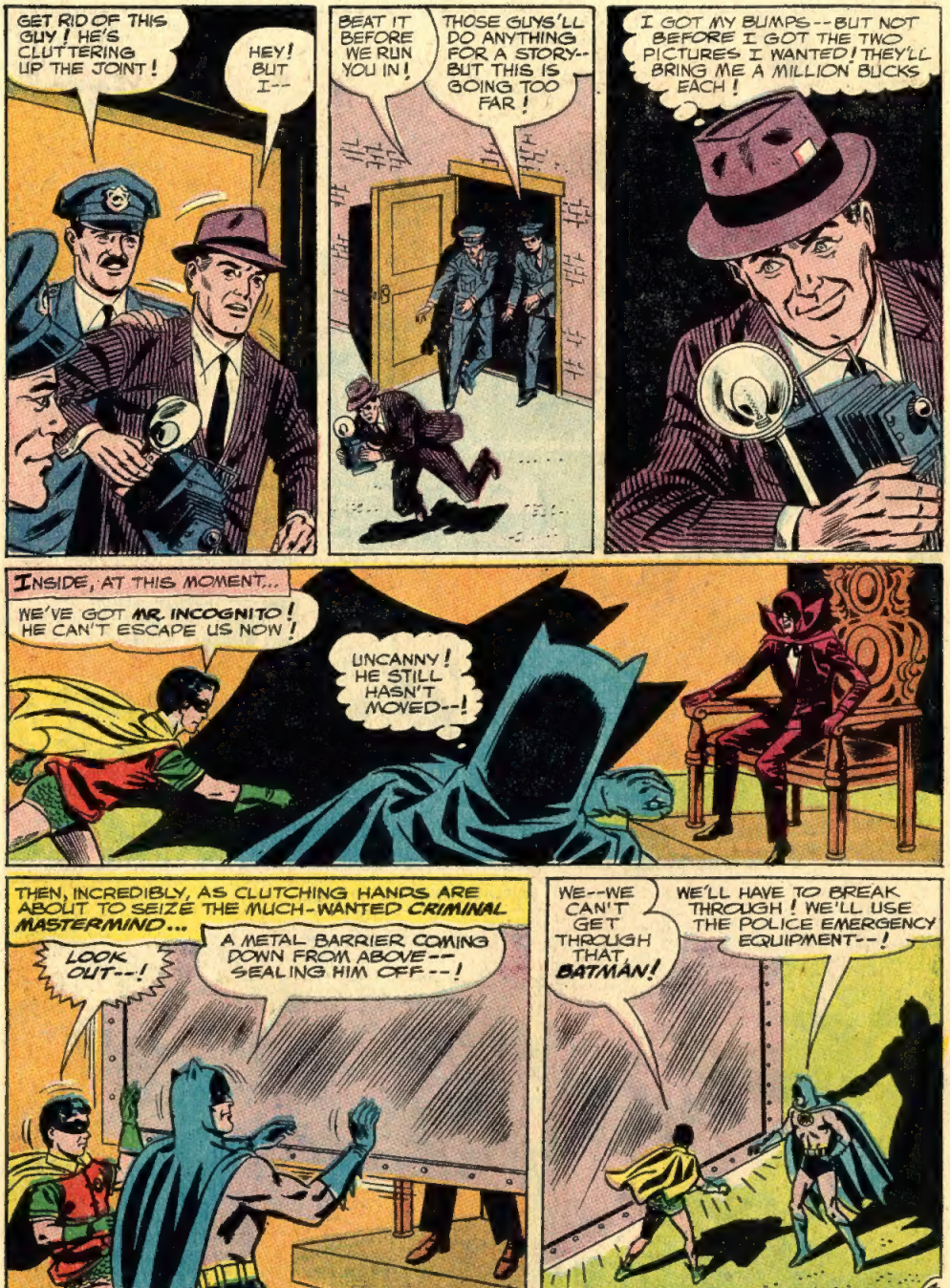
AN OMINOUS NIGHT IN THE TWISTED UNDERWORLD OF A GREAT METROPOLIS ...
NOW WE'LL FIND OUT IF THAT INFORMER'S TIP WAS ON THE UP AND UP, BATMAN! THE BUILDING IS COMPLETELY SURROUNDED! YOU AND ROBIN ARE TO LEAD THE WAY IN THE FRONT DOOR IN EXACTLY...
...THIRTY SECONDS!
WE'RE READY, COMMISSIONER GORDON!
I CAN HARDLY WAIT TO SEE IF WE'VE STRUCK PAY-DIRT, BATMAN--AND HAVE UNCOVERED THE SECRET IDENTITY OF MR. INCOGNITO, THE MASKED MASTERMIND OF CRIME IN GOTHAM CITY!
TEN SECONDS.. FIVE...
THEN--A SILENT EXPLOSION AS THE FORCES OF LAW BURST INTO ACTION...
MOMENTS LATER, AN ACTIVE EXPLOSION AS DOORS AND WALLS COME TUMBLING DOWN...
THE COPS...
BATMAN AND ROBIN!
OPEN UP ON 'EM! WE'LL SHOOT OUR WAY OUT!
THERE HE IS ACROSS THE ROOM--MR. INCOGNITO!
CRAAAAAH!

SINGLING OUT ITS QUARRY, THE DYNAMIC DUO FIGHTS ITS WAY THROUGH A MELEE OF DESPERATE MEN...
STRANGE! MR. INCOGNITO HASN'T MADE A MOVE SINCE THE RAID BEGAN!
YOU LITTLE SQUIRT! I'LL STOP YOU SHORT...
POW! POW!
THAT TAKES CARE OF YOUR SHORT-LIVED THREAT!
AS A BURLY THUG JUMPS THE COWLED CRUSADER FROM BEHIND...
I ALWAYS WANTED TO GET MY HANDS ON YOU, BATMAN! NOW WE'LL SEE WHICH OF US IS TOUGHER!
A TWITCH OF POWERFUL SHOULDERS AND THE ATTACKER KEEPS GOING--CLEAR OVER BATMAN'S HEAD!
CLUNK!
THAT SETTLES THE ISSUE--HEAD ON!
MEANWHILE AMID THE CLASHING FRAY...
"PRESS"!? HOW DID HE GET IN HERE? NO NEWSPAPERMEN OR PHOTOGRAPHERS WERE ALLOWED ON THIS RAID--!


GET RID OF THIS GUY! HE'S CLUTTERING UP THE JOINT!
HEY! BUT I--
BEAT IT BEFORE WE RUN YOU IN!
THOSE GUYS'LL DO ANYTHING FOR A STORY--BUT THIS IS GOING TOO FAR!
I GOT MY BUMPS--BUT NOT BEFORE I GOT THE TWO PICTURES I WANTED! THEY'LL BRING ME A MILLION BUCKS EACH!
INSIDE, AT THIS MOMENT...
WE'VE GOT MR. INCOGNITO! HE CAN'T ESCAPE US NOW!
UNCANNY! HE STILL HASN'T MOVED--!
THEN, INCREDIBLY, AS CLUTCHING HANDS ARE ABOUT TO SEIZE THE MUCH-WANTED CRIMINAL MASTERMIND...
LOOK OUT--!
A METAL BARRIER COMING DOWN FROM ABOVE--SEALING HIM OFF--!
WE--WE CAN'T GET THROUGH THAT, BATMAN!
WE'LL HAVE TO BREAK THROUGH! WE'LL USE THE POLICE EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT--!
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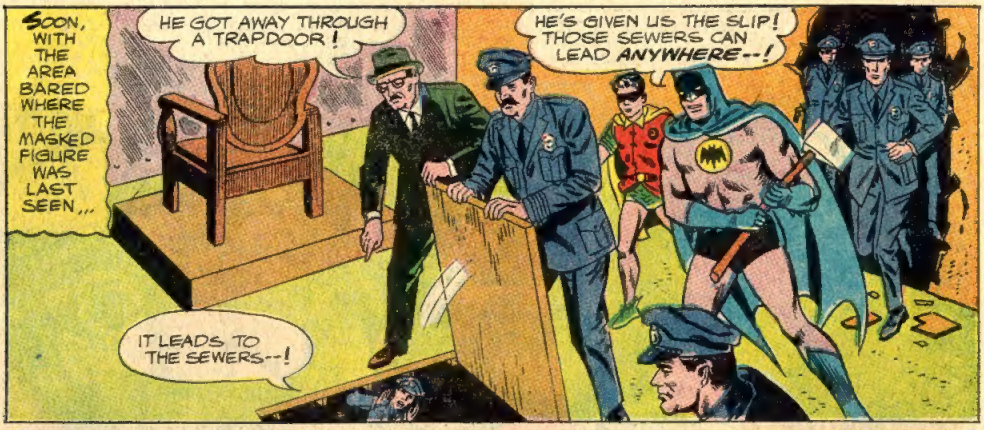
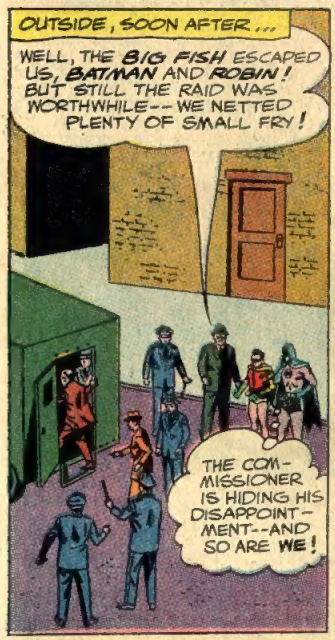
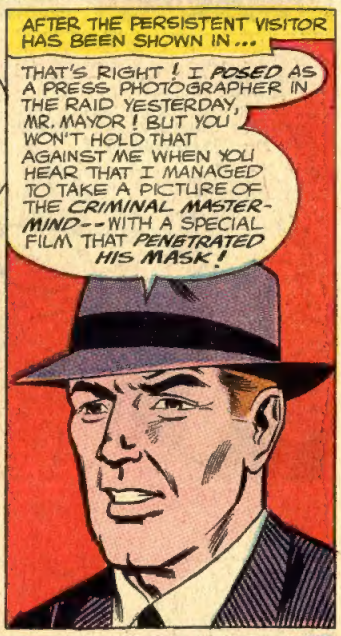

SOON, WITH THE AREA BARED WHERE THE MASKED FIGURE WAS LAST SEEN...
HE GOT AWAY THROUGH A TRAPDOOR!
HE'S GIVEN US THE SLIP! THOSE SEWERS CAN LEAD ANYWHERE--!
IT LEADS TO THE SEWERS--!


OUTSIDE, SOON AFTER...
WELL, THE BIG FISH ESCAPED US, BATMAN AND ROBIN! BUT STILL THE RAID WAS WORTHWHILE--WE NETTED PLENTY OF SMALL FRY!
THE COMMISSIONER IS HIDING HIS DISAPPOINTMENT--AND SO ARE WE!

LATE THE FOLLOWING AFTERNOON, IN THE CITY HALL OF GOTHAM CITY...
A FREE-LANCE PHOTOGRAPHER NAMED ELWOOD PEARSON? NEVER HEARD OF HIM--!
HE INSISTS ON SEEING YOU, MR. MAYOR! SAYS ITS VERY IMPORTANT!


AFTER THE PERSISTENT VISITOR HAS BEEN SHOWN IN...
THAT'S RIGHT! I POSED AS A PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER IN THE RAID YESTERDAY, MR. MAYOR! BUT YOU WON'T HOLD THAT AGAINST ME WHEN YOU HEAR THAT I MANAGED TO TAKE A PICTURE OF THE CRIMINAL MASTERMIND--WITH A SPECIAL FILM THAT PENETRATED HIS MASK!

SO YOU SEE, I--AND I ALONE--KNOW MR. INCOGNITO'S REAL IDENTITY! AND I'M WILLING TO TURN MY INFORMATION OVER TO THE CITY FOR A BARGAIN PRICE! A MERE ONE MILLION DOLLARS!
Whew!

YOU'RE NO PIKER, MR. PEARSON!
OH, I KNOW WHAT YOU'RE THINKING--THAT IT'S TOO MUCH MONEY TO TURN OVER TO A NOBODY LIKE ME, eh? WELL ...
...LET ME TELL YOU SOMETHING ABOUT MYSELF, MR. MAYOR--SO YOU CAN SEE THINGS MY WAY! I WAS A LONG TIME REACHING THE BIG TIME--THE BIG MONEY! FOR YEARS I WORKED FOR THE SO-CALLED SCANDAL MAGAZINES...
"I'D SECRETLY TAKE PICTURES OF CELEBRITIES AT PLAY, AND SELL THE PRIZE SHOTS FOR PEANUTS..."
I GOT A GOOD SNAP OF MOVIE CELEBRITIES JOHNNY JASON AND MYRA HOLT--TOGETHER!
"BUT I WAS DISSATISFIED AND AMBITIOUS--AND SMART! AND I HAD AN IDEA..."
WHAT I NEED IS A CAMERA THAT WILL ACT AS A SORT OF LONG-RANGE X-RAY! THEN I'D BE ABLE TO SHOOT THROUGH CLOSED DOORS FOR REAL EXCLUSIVE SHOTS! SOMETHING LIKE THAT WOULD BE WORTH A FORTUNE!
I WON'T BORE YOU ABOUT THE YEARS OF WORK IN MY LABORATORY! ALL I'LL SAY IS--I SUCCEEDED! I HAVE PERFECTED A SPECIAL PROCESS OF TAKING PICTURES THROUGH SOLID OBJECTS--LIKE A MASK! PAY ME--AND HAVE A LOOK!
BUT, MR. PEARSON, EVEN ASSUMING THAT WE COULD--er--
--DO BUSINESS--I'D STILL HAVE TO CONFER WITH THE CITY COUNCIL! I COULDN'T JUST HAND YOU A MILLION DOLLARS!
OKAY! I'LL GIVE YOU 24 HOURS! EITHER I GET THE MILLION THEN--OR I MAKE OTHER ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE X-PHOTO! GOOD DAY, MR. MAYOR!

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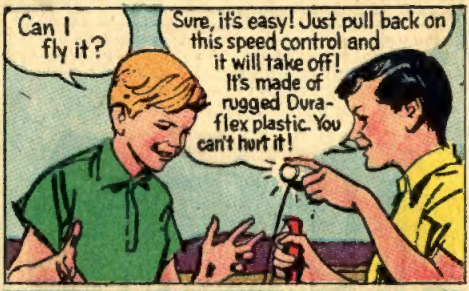
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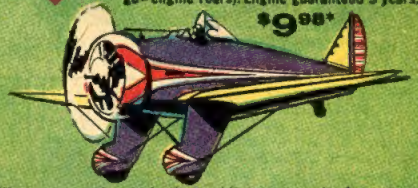

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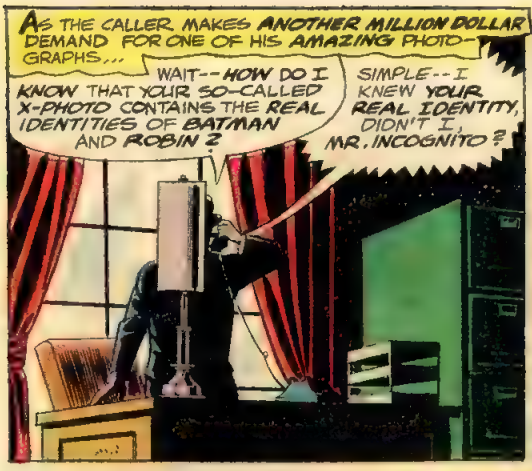
I WONDER WHAT THE MAYOR WANTS TO SEE US ABOUT, BATMAN?
I WASN'T GIVEN THE SLIGHTEST HINT, ROBIN...
IN HIS OFFICE, A WORRIED OFFICIAL HAS DECIDED TO CONFIDE IN HIS TRUSTED CRIME-BUSTING TEAM...
--AND HOW DO I KNOW THIS PEARSON ISN'T A CROOK HIMSELF? I WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT HIM BEFORE I DISCUSS HIS FANTASTIC DEMAND WITH THE COUNCIL! AND THAT'S WHERE YOU TWO COME IN--
--FIND OUT ALL YOU CAN ABOUT PEARSON AND BRING THE INFORMATION BACK HERE TO ME-- BEFORE THE DEADLINE!
THAT'S WHAT WE LIKE...WORKING AGAINST DEAD-LINES! LET'S GO, ROBIN!
A CAMERA THAT TAKES PICTURES THROUGH OBJECTS--EVEN A MASK? ROBIN, HAS IT OCCURRED TO YOU! THAT SUCH AN INVENTION COULD BE A MENACE TO US?
AND HOW! IT COULD GIVE AWAY OUR SECRET IDENTITIES!
EXIT
TELEPHONES
EXACTLY! BUT AT LEAST IT SEEMS THIS PEARSON IS ONLY INTERESTED IN EXPOSING MR. INCOGNITO--FOR A PRICE! Ah-- HERE'S THE ADDRESS OF HIS PHOTOGRAPHY SHOP...
BUT IS THAT ALL ELWOOD PEARSON IS INTERESTED IN-- EXPOSING THE CRIME OVER-LORD? AT THIS VERY MOMENT, IN AN OBSCURE OFFICE CALLED THE CARTER REAL ESTATE AGENCY IN MID-TOWN...
...MR. CARTER HIMSELF IS THE RECIPIENT OF A STRANGE PHONE CALL...
...AND BY MEANS OF MY X-CAMERA I SECURED A PHOTO OF THE REAL FACES OF BATMAN AND ROBIN-- UNDER THEIR MASKS! ARE YOU LISTENING, MR. CARTER?
ATTENTIVELY! GO ON--


AS THE CALLER MAKES ANOTHER MILLION DOLLAR DEMAND FOR ONE OF HIS AMAZING PHOTO-GRAPHS...
WAIT--HOW DO I KNOW THAT YOUR SO-CALLED X-PHOTO CONTAINS THE REAL IDENTITIES OF BATMAN AND ROBIN ?
SIMPLE--I KNEW YOUR REAL IDENTITY, DIDN'T I, MR. INCOGNITO ?

I'M TELLING YOU THAT IN CASE YOU GET ANY DOUBLE-CROSSING IDEAS, MR.... CARTER ! IF ANYTHING SHOULD HAPPEN TO ME, AN ENVELOPE CONTAINING A PHOTO OF THE UNMASKED FACE OF MR. INCOGNITO WILL REACH THE POLICE WITHIN 24 HOURS !
TAKE IT EASY...

... NOTHING'S GOING TO HAPPEN TO YOU ! IF YOU HAVE WHAT YOU SAY, IT'S WORTH A MILLION ! NOW LISTEN HARD ! LOCK YOUR SHOP, PEARSON ! PUT UP THE SHUTTERS AND PULL THE BLINDS, UNDERSTAND ? I'LL BE THERE IN ONE HOUR ! AND I'LL BRING THE CASH !

... HE HUNG UP ! I WAS GOING TO ASK HIM HOW HE COULD GET IN HERE IF I LOCKED UP ! BUT I GUESS MR. INCOGNITO HAS HIS OWN WAY OF DOING THINGS !
CLICK !
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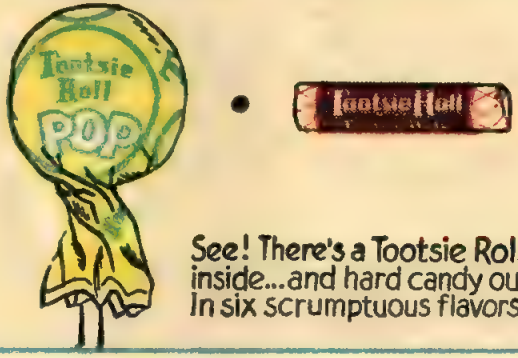
PUT YOUR NOSE TO THE DOT

(You'll "see" the delicious secret of a Tootsie Pop)



See! There's a Tootsie Roll inside...and hard candy outside. In six scrumptuous flavors too!

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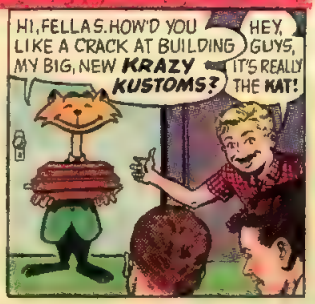
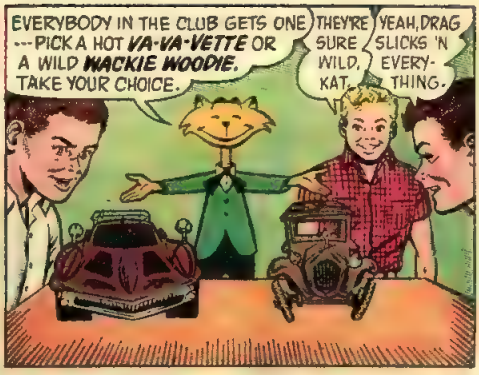
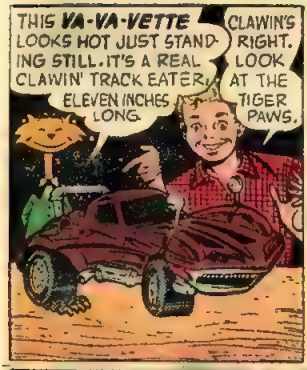
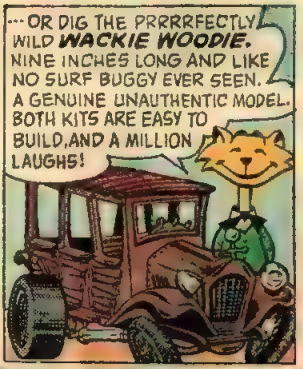
The model club gets a surprise visit from THE KAT FROM AMT




EVERYBODY IN THE CLUB GETS ONE --- PICK A HOT VA-VA-VETTE OR A WILD WACKIE WOODIE. TAKE YOUR CHOICE.
THEY'RE SURE WILD, KAT.
YEAH, DRAG SLICKS 'N EVERY-THING.


THIS VA-VA-VETTE LOOKS HOT JUST STAND-ING STILL. IT'S A REAL CLAWIN' TRACK EATER.
CLAWIN'S RIGHT. LOOK AT THE TIGER PAWS.
ELEVEN INCHES LONG.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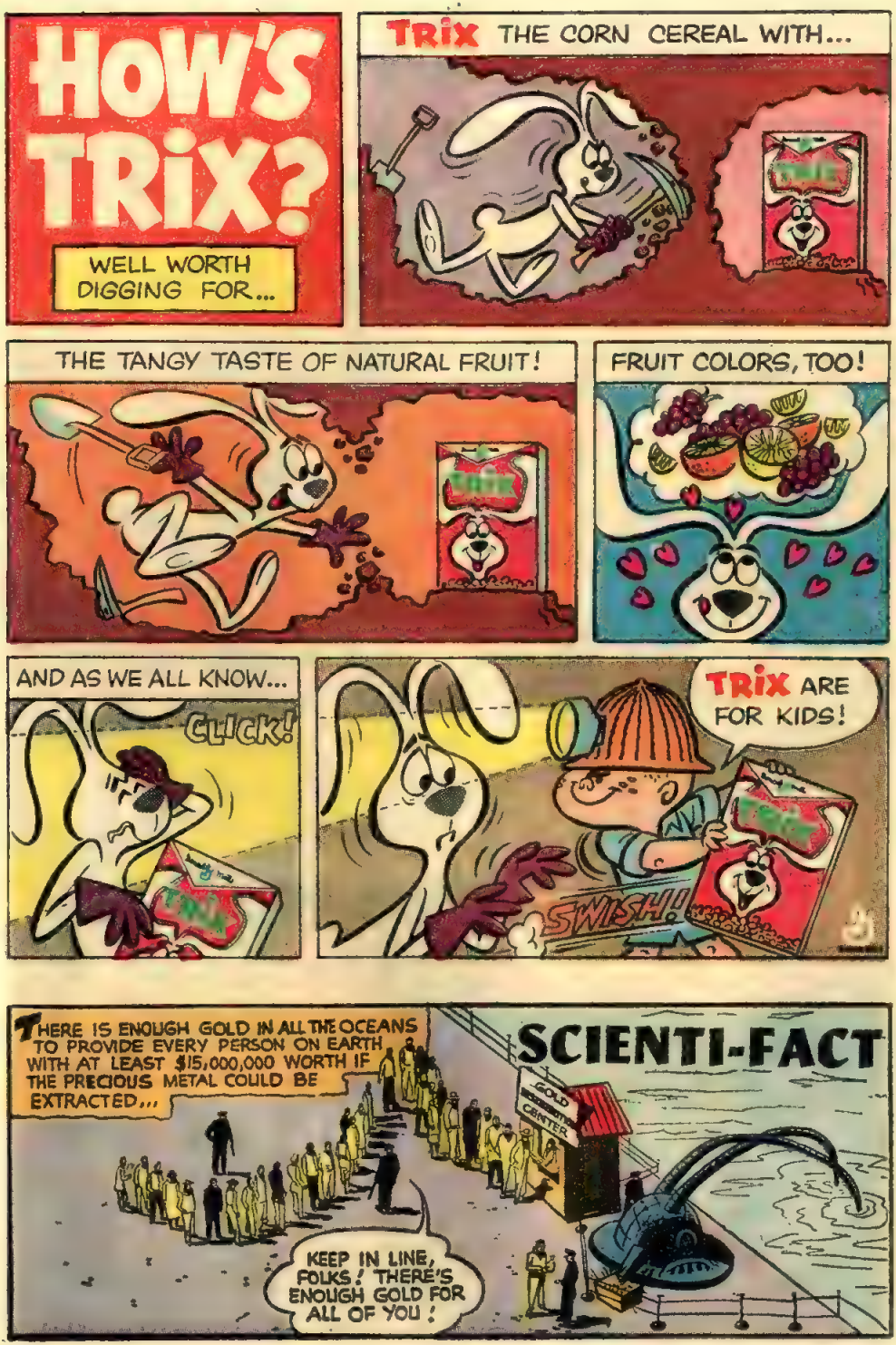
HOW'S TRIX?
WELL WORTH DIGGING FOR...
TRIX THE CORN CEREAL WITH...
THE TANGY TASTE OF NATURAL FRUIT!
FRUIT COLORS, TOO!
AND AS WE ALL KNOW...
CLICK!
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KEEP IN LINE, FOLKS! THERE'S ENOUGH GOLD FOR ALL OF YOU!

SECRET IDENTITIES for SALE--PART 2

NIGHT HAS FALLEN ... AND IN THE STREET IN FRONT OF THE PHOTO SHOP...
LOCKED AND SHUTTERED! BUT THERE'S A FAINT LIGHT SHOWING AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS WINDOW--
SOMETHING SNEAKY'S GOING ON IN THERE, I BET--
PHOTO SHOP
WE'LL TAKE THIS STAIRWAY, ROBIN! IT LEADS TO THE ROOF--AND FROM THERE MAYBE WE CAN AT LEAST GET A LOOK INTO THE SHOP!
PHOTO SHOP
MEANWHILE, INSIDE ...
YOU DIDN'T KNOW THERE WAS A SECRET DOORWAY IN YOUR CELLAR, DID YOU, PEARSON? THIS WHOLE AREA OF THE CITY IS HONEYCOMBED WITH SECRET PASSAGEWAYS--AND I KNOW ALL OF THEM!
CARTER CAME AS MR. INCOGNITO--
NOW LET'S SEE THAT TELL-TALE PHOTOGRAPH!
NOT SO FAST! I'LL GIVE YOU A LOOK AT THE SHOT--BUT I'M NOT HANDING THE NEGATIVE OVER TO YOU TILL YOU FORK OVER THE MONEY! COME OVER HERE...
WHAT I HAVE HERE IS AN EXTERIOR VIEW OF THE X-PHOTO I TOOK OF BATMAN AND ROBIN! I HAD YOU WRITE THEIR NAMES ON IT SO YOU'LL SEE THERE'S NO TRICK WHEN I HOLD IT BEFORE THAT MIRROR!
ALL RIGHT, NOW WHAT--?
BATMAN AND ROBIN

THIS SPECIAL MIRROR WILL SHOW THE INTERIOR VIEW OF THE PHOTO-- BY REFLECTING ONLY THE X-RADIATION OF THE FILM--JUST LIKE A FILTER THAT REFLECTS ONLY A PARTICULAR COLOR!
YOU CAN SKIP THE SCIENTIFIC EXPLANATIONS!
BATMAN AND ROBIN
AT THAT MOMENT, ABOVE...
WOW! THAT'S MR. INCOGNITO DOWN THERE, BATMAN!
AND THAT MIRROR-- IT'S SHOWING IMAGES OF THE TWO OF US--AS BRUCE WAYNE AND DICK GRAYSON!
BATMAN AND ROBIN
WHILE WE'VE BEEN TRYING TO UNCOVER THE SECRET IDENTITY OF MR. INCOGNITO-- HE'S DISCOVERED OURS!
OF COURSE, I DON'T KNOW THE NAMES OF THESE TWO YET--BUT THAT SHOULDN'T BE HARD TO TRACK DOWN NOW!
YOU'VE GOT YOURSELF A DEAL!
BATMAN AND ROBIN
BATMAN AND ROBIN
RIGHT DOWN THROUGH THE SKYLIGHT PLUNGE THE TWO DAREDEVILS...
THEY DON'T KNOW OUR NAMES YET--WE STILL HAVE A CHANCE TO KEEP IT THAT WAY BY ACTING FAST!
WHA...?
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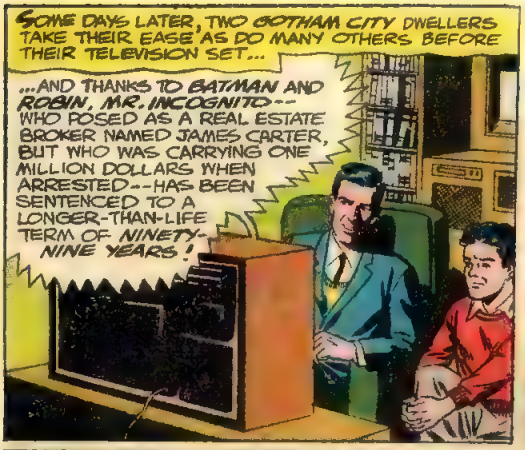
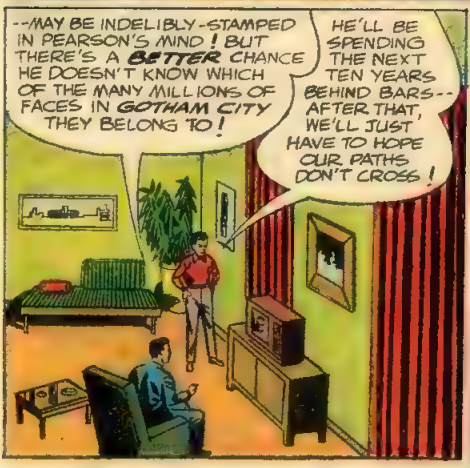
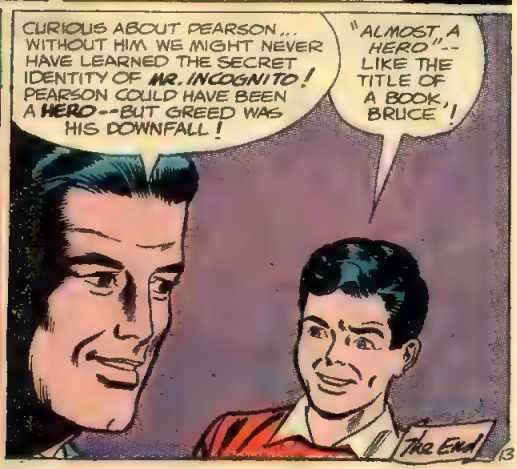
YOU'LL NEVER TAKE ME IN!
PULLING A GUN--! DIVE, ROBIN!
TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE CLUTTERED STUDIO, THE TWO SUPER-SLEUTHS WEATHER A HAIL OF LEAD...
HE'S GOT US PINNED DOWN!
THESE BIG ELECTRIC BULBS USED FOR PHOTOGRAPHIC FLOOD LIGHTS! YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH THEM, ROBIN--
VIIP!
ZIING!
VIIP!
ONEE!
LOBBING THE GREAT BULBS LIKE MORTAR SHELLS TOWARD THEIR GUN-TOTING FOE, THE ENTRAPPED TEAM OBTAINS A DAZZLING EFFECT...
KRAK!
POW!
POW!
KRAK!
KRAK!
POW!
POW!
KRAK!
KEEPING MY EYES COVERED--SO AS NOT TO BE BLINDED BY THE GLARE--
NOW'S MY CHANCE--BEFORE HE CAN RECOVER!
MEANWHILE, PEARSON HAS DRAWN HIS OWN GUN FROM A DESK DRAWER..
I CAN'T LET MY PLANS--AMBITIONS--BE RUINED! MY BEST BET NOW IS TO FINISH THEM ALL OFF--THEN GRAB THE MILLION IN CASH THAT MR. INCOGNITO IS CARRYING ON HIM--MAKE MY GETAWAY--!
BAM!
PEARSON--THE PHOTOGRAPHER--AIMING AT BATMAN--AND THAT'S NO FLASH GUN HE'S HOLDING!

INSTANTLY, THE BOY WONDER REACTS IN AN OUTBURST OF LITHE MUSCLES...
THUD!
KNOCKED HIM OUT! PEARSON'S GOING TO HAVE ONE LALLA-PALOOZA OF A HEADACHE WHEN HE WAKES UP LATER ... IN JAIL!
BUT MEANWHILE MR. INCOGNITO PROVES A TOUGH CUSTOMER EVEN FOR THE MASKED MANHUNTER ...
MY BULLET-SLUG MISSED YOU, BATMAN -- BUT THIS FIST-SLUG DIDN'T!
SOK!
RECOVERING ALMOST AT ONCE, THE CAPED CRUSADER LUNGES FORWARD...
IF YOU GET UP AFTER THIS, MR. INCOGNITO, I'LL ADMIT THAT I'VE GOT A FIGHT ON MY HANDS!
AND WHEN THE CRIME OVER-LORD GOES DOWN AND OUT...
SO THAT'S HIS REAL FACE! ANY IDEA WHO HE IS, BATMAN?
NO! IT'LL BE UP TO THE POLICE TO IDENTIFY MR. INCOGNITO!
BUT BEFORE WE CALL THEM, WE'LL DESTROY THIS SO-CALLED X-PHOTO OF US! MR. INCOGNITO SAW OUR FACES -- WITHOUT MASKS -- IN THE MIRROR FOR ONLY A FLEETING MOMENT...
BATMAN AND ROBIN
...I DOUBT IF HE'LL REMEMBER AT ALL WHAT WE LOOKED LIKE! AND AS FOR PEARSON -- WELL, THAT'S ANOTHER PROBLEM! OKAY, ROBIN -- GET POLICE HEADQUARTERS ON THE PHONE...


SOME DAYS LATER, TWO GOTHAM CITY DWELLERS TAKE THEIR EASE AS DO MANY OTHERS BEFORE THEIR TELEVISION SET...
...AND THANKS TO BATMAN AND ROBIN, MR. INCOGNITO-- WHO POSED AS A REAL ESTATE BROKER NAMED JAMES CARTER, BUT WHO WAS CARRYING ONE MILLION DOLLARS WHEN ARRESTED--HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO A LONGER-THAN-LIFE TERM OF NINETY-NINE YEARS!

AND AS FOR PHOTOGRAPHER ELWOOD PEARSON, HE WAS FOUND GUILTY OF ASSAULT WITH A DEADLY WEAPON---
YOU KNOW, DICK, THERE'S A REASONABLE CHANCE THAT OUR UNMASKED FACES--


--MAY BE INDELIBLY-STAMPED IN PEARSON'S MIND! BUT THERE'S A BETTER CHANCE HE DOESN'T KNOW WHICH OF THE MANY MILLIONS OF FACES IN GOTHAM CITY THEY BELONG TO!
HE'LL BE SPENDING THE NEXT TEN YEARS BEHIND BARS-- AFTER THAT, WE'LL JUST HAVE TO HOPE OUR PATHS DON'T CROSS!


CURIOUS ABOUT PEARSON... WITHOUT HIM WE MIGHT NEVER HAVE LEARNED THE SECRET IDENTITY OF MR. INCOGNITO! PEARSON COULD HAVE BEEN A HERO--BUT GREED WAS HIS DOWNFALL!
"ALMOST A HERO"-- LIKE THE TITLE OF A BOOK, BRUCE!
THE END
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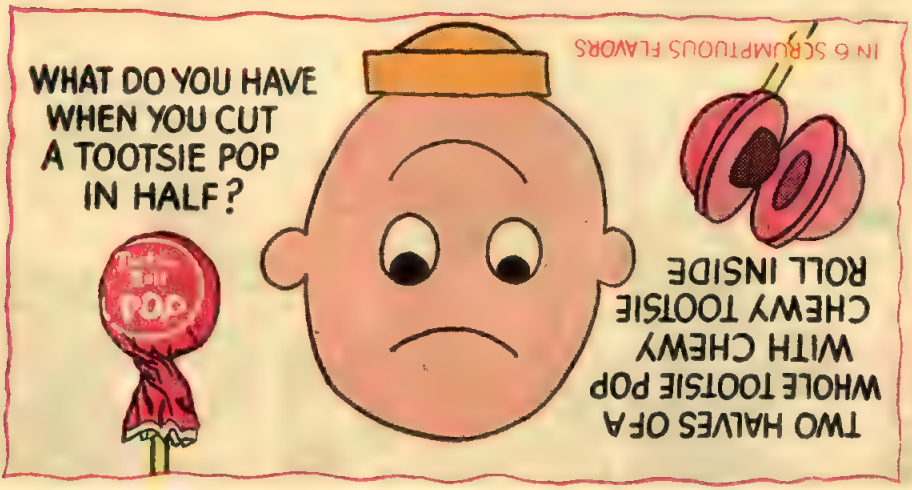
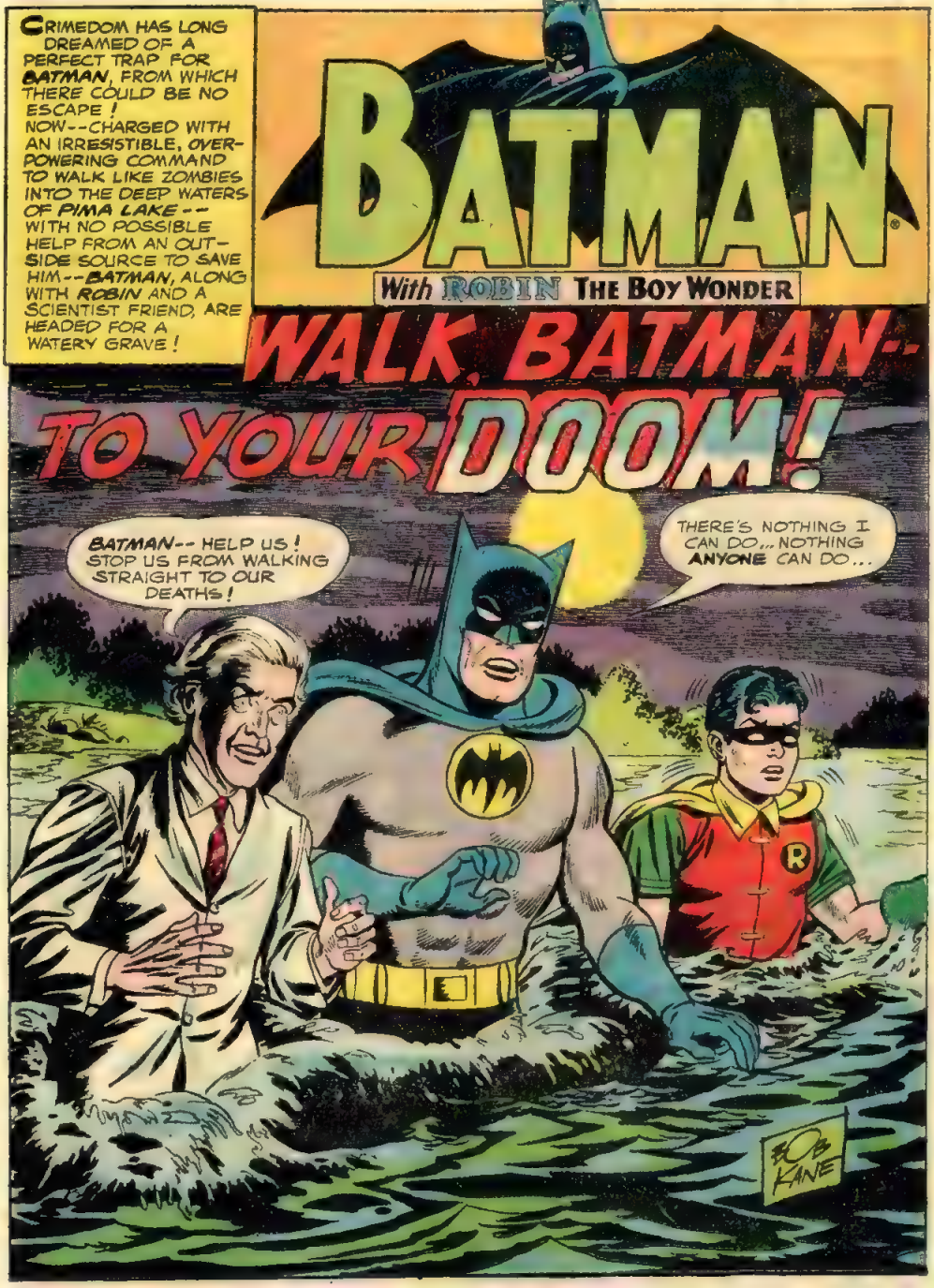

WHAT DO YOU HAVE WHEN YOU CUT A TOOTSIE POP IN HALF?
TWO HALVES OF A WHOLE TOOTSIE POP WITH CHEWY CHEWY TOOTSIE ROLL INSIDE
IN 6 SCRUMPTIOUS FLAVORS

ROCKY and BULLWINKLE
General Mills
Cheerios
ARE CHEERIOS YOUR FAVORITE CEREAL, BULLWINKLE?
RIGHT, ROCK!
CHEERIOS 'N' MILK GIVE US PEOPLE MUSCLE-MAKIN' PROTEIN...
...AND LOTS OF GO-GO-GO!
DO YOU MEAN THAT EVERYONE SHOULD GO WITH THE GOODNESS OF CHEERIOS?
OH MY, YES!
TIMBERRRRR!
CRASH!
BUT THEY SHOULD WATCH WHERE THEY'RE GOING!


CRIMEDOM HAS LONG DREAMED OF A PERFECT TRAP FOR BATMAN, FROM WHICH THERE COULD BE NO ESCAPE! NOW--CHARGED WITH AN IRRESISTIBLE, OVER-POWERING COMMAND TO WALK LIKE ZOMBIES INTO THE DEEP WATERS OF PIMA LAKE -- WITH NO POSSIBLE HELP FROM AN OUT-SIDE SOURCE TO SAVE HIM--BATMAN, ALONG WITH ROBIN AND A SCIENTIST FRIEND, ARE HEADED FOR A WATERY GRAVE!
BATMAN
With ROBIN THE BOY WONDER
WALK, BATMAN--
TO YOUR DOOM!
BATMAN-- HELP US! STOP US FROM WALKING STRAIGHT TO OUR DEATHS!
THERE'S NOTHING I CAN DO,,, NOTHING ANYONE CAN DO...
BOB KANE

IN GOTHAM CITY, A WELL PUBLICIZED CRIMINAL TRIAL NEARS ITS DRAMATIC END...
HERE COMES THE JURY! IT DIDN'T TAKE THEM LONG TO REACH A DECISION!
WHY SHOULD IT? THE EVIDENCE PROVING THAT GALLIVER COMMITTED THE CRIME IS OVERWHELMING!
PRESS
AS A MATTER OF FACT, I'VE ALREADY GOT MY STORY WRITTEN UNDER THE LEAD, GALLIVER GUILTY!
GENTLEMEN OF THE JURY, HAVE YOU REACHED A VERDICT?
WE HAVE, YOUR HONOR! WE FIND THE DEFENDANT... NOT GUILTY!
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT!
WHAT?!
WHEN ORDER HAS BEEN RESTORED IN THE COURTROOM, AN OUTRAGED JUDGE HAS HIS SAY...
THIS IS THE WORST VERDICT I'VE EVER HEARD IN ALL MY YEARS ON THE BENCH! I WANT YOU JURORS TO KNOW I'M GOING TO SEE TO IT THAT NONE OF YOU EVER SERVES ON A JURY IN THIS STATE AGAIN! DISMISSED!
NOT LONG AFTER, IN THE OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY...
BATMAN AND ROBIN, I ASKED YOU TO COME HERE FOR TWO REASONS! FIRST, BECAUSE YOU WERE THE ONES WHO BROUGHT BUNKY GALLIVER TO JUSTICE AND I KNOW YOU MUST HAVE BEEN SHOCKED AT THE VERDICT THAT RELEASED HIM!
WE SURE WERE, MR. DISTRICT ATTORNEY!
SO WAS I! BUT IN INVESTIGATING THE STARTLING DECISION, MY OFFICE HAS COME ACROSS A STRANGE FACT! I'D LIKE YOUR OPINION ON IT! HERE IS A COPY OF A NEWS PHOTO TAKEN AT THE TRIAL...
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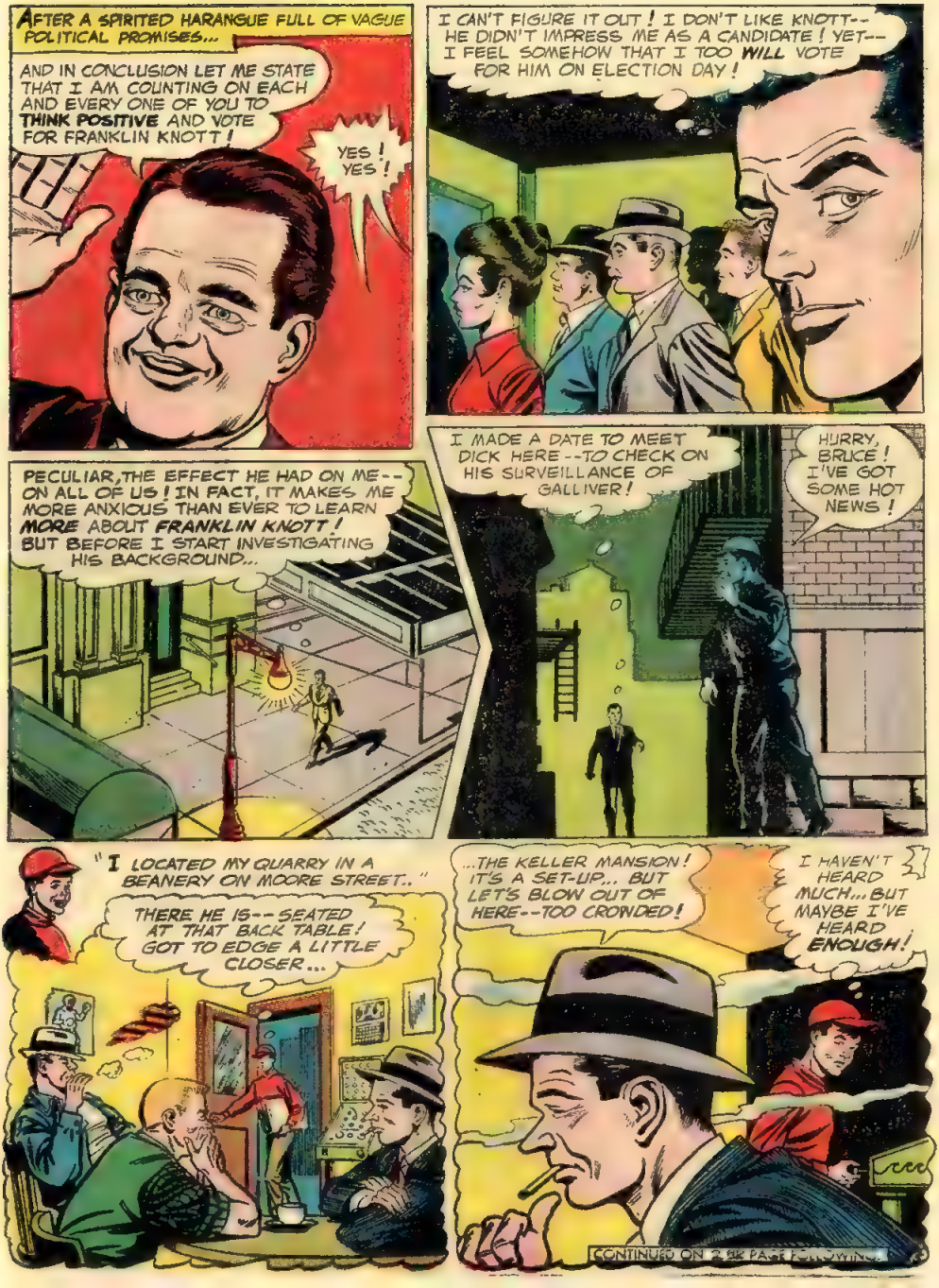
AND HERE ARE THREE MORE TAKEN AT OTHER TRIALS AROUND THE COUNTRY-- WHERE THE JURIES ALSO RETURNED TOTALLY UNEXPECTED VERDICTS! ALL FOUR PHOTOS SHOW THE COURTROOM AUDIENCES! NOW WILL YOU PLEASE EXAMINE THESE --
--AND TELL ME IF YOU SEE ANYTHING SIGNIFICANT IN THEM?
IT'S AMAZING! THE SAME MAN-- CLEVERLY DISGUISED, BUT THERE'S NO DOUBT OF IT--IS IN ALL FOUR OF THE PICTURES!
F-FOUR!? MY STAFF AND I COULD ONLY DETECT HIM IN THREE!
BUT YOU'VE HIT IT, BATMAN! THE SAME MAN--THE SAME FACE-- IN THE AUDIENCE AT EACH OF THESE TRIALS! AND I HAVE ONE MORE ITEM TO ADD TO THIS INCREDIBLE FACT! JUST TODAY IN THE BACK PAGES OF THE GOTHAM CITY STAR...
THERE APPEARED THIS STORY ABOUT A NEW CANDIDATE, AN INDEPENDENT WHO HAS FILED TO RUN FOR GOVERNOR OF GOTHAM STATE! HIS NAME IS FRANKLIN KNOTT AND THERE'S A PICTURE OF HIM OVER THE ARTICLE...
DOES HE LOOK FAMILIAR?
HE SURE DOES! THAT'S THE MAN WHOSE FACE APPEARS IN THE OTHER FOUR PICTURES YOU SHOWED ME!
WOW!

SO FAR WE HAVE NOTHING ON THIS MAN KNOTT--EXCEPT SUSPICION! BUT I THOUGHT I'D ALERT YOU, BATMAN AND ROBIN--BECAUSE WE MAY NEED YOUR HELP IN THIS CASE!
WE'RE GLAD YOU DID, MR. D.A.!
ROBIN AND I WILL GET BUSY RIGHT AWAY--AND WE'LL BE IN TOUCH WITH YOU!
FINE! GOOD LUCK, YOU TWO--AND GOOD HUNTING!
SHORTLY, IN THE BATCAVE BELOW THE ESTATE OF PLAYBOY BRUCE WAYNE...
THEN YOU WANT ME TO TRAIL BUNKY GALLIVER, BRUCE?
THAT'S RIGHT, DICK! WITH GALLIVER RELEASED FROM JAIL AFTER THAT AMAZING JURY VERDICT, HE MAY ATTEMPT SOME NEW COUP--FIGURING HE'S ON A LUCKY STREAK!
TRY TO STICK CLOSE TO HIM... WITHOUT BEING NOTICED! MEANWHILE, I'LL BE BUSY TOO--AT THIS POLITICAL RALLY!
BATPLANE
SECRET FILES
COME ONE--COME ALL! LISTEN TO THE MAN OF THE HOUR! FRANKLIN KNOTT FOR GOVERN...
THUS THE DYNAMIC DUO SPLITS UP TO CARRY OUT SEPARATE MISSIONS IN THEIR CIVILIAN IDENTITIES, AND WHILE "RAGAMUFFIN" DICK GRAYSON...
...PENETRATES THE TWISTED STREETS OF GOTHAM CITY'S UNDERWORLD...
SOONER OR LATER I'M BOUND TO SPOT GALLIVER...
...HIS BRAWNY ADULT COUNTERPART IS AT GOTHAM HALL...
SO FAR THERE DOESN'T SEEM TO BE ANYTHING SPECIAL ABOUT FRANKLIN KNOTT! AND YET--
MY FRIENDS...


AFTER A SPIRITED HARANGUE FULL OF VAGUE POLITICAL PROMISES...
AND IN CONCLUSION LET ME STATE THAT I AM COUNTING ON EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU TO THINK POSITIVE AND VOTE FOR FRANKLIN KNOTT!
YES! YES!
I CAN'T FIGURE IT OUT! I DON'T LIKE KNOTT--HE DIDN'T IMPRESS ME AS A CANDIDATE! YET--I FEEL SOMEHOW THAT I TOO WILL VOTE FOR HIM ON ELECTION DAY!
PECULIAR, THE EFFECT HE HAD ON ME--ON ALL OF US! IN FACT, IT MAKES ME MORE ANXIOUS THAN EVER TO LEARN MORE ABOUT FRANKLIN KNOTT! BUT BEFORE I START INVESTIGATING HIS BACKGROUND...
I MADE A DATE TO MEET DICK HERE--TO CHECK ON HIS SURVEILLANCE OF GALLIVER!
HURRY, BRUCE! I'VE GOT SOME HOT NEWS!
"I LOCATED MY QUARRY IN A BEANERY ON MOORE STREET.."
THERE HE IS--SEATED AT THAT BACK TABLE! GOT TO EDGE A LITTLE CLOSER...
...THE KELLER MANSION! IT'S A SET-UP... BUT LET'S BLOW OUT OF HERE--TOO CROWDED!
I HAVEN'T HEARD MUCH... BUT MAYBE I'VE HEARD ENOUGH!
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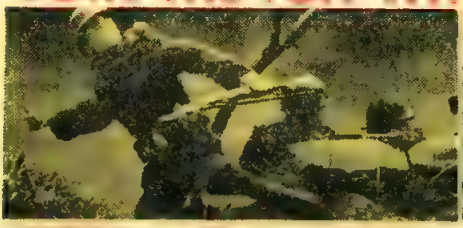
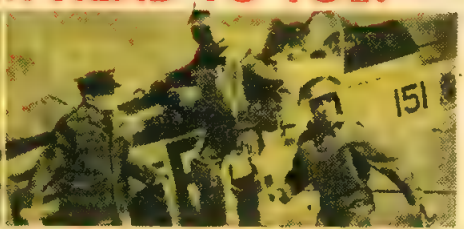


YES!...G. I. JOE!...G. I. JOE!

FIGHTING MAN FROM HEAD TO TOE!



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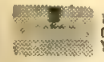

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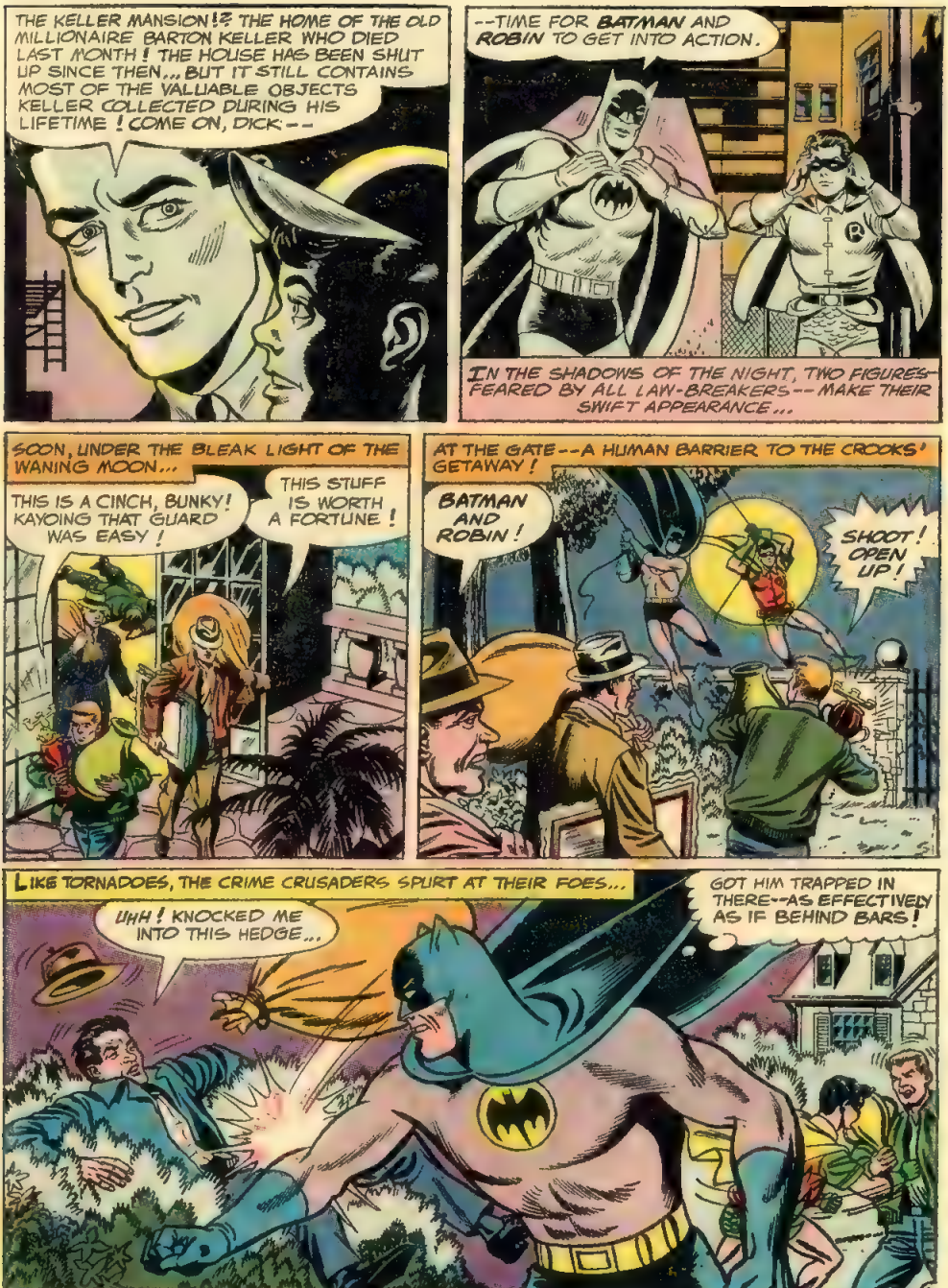
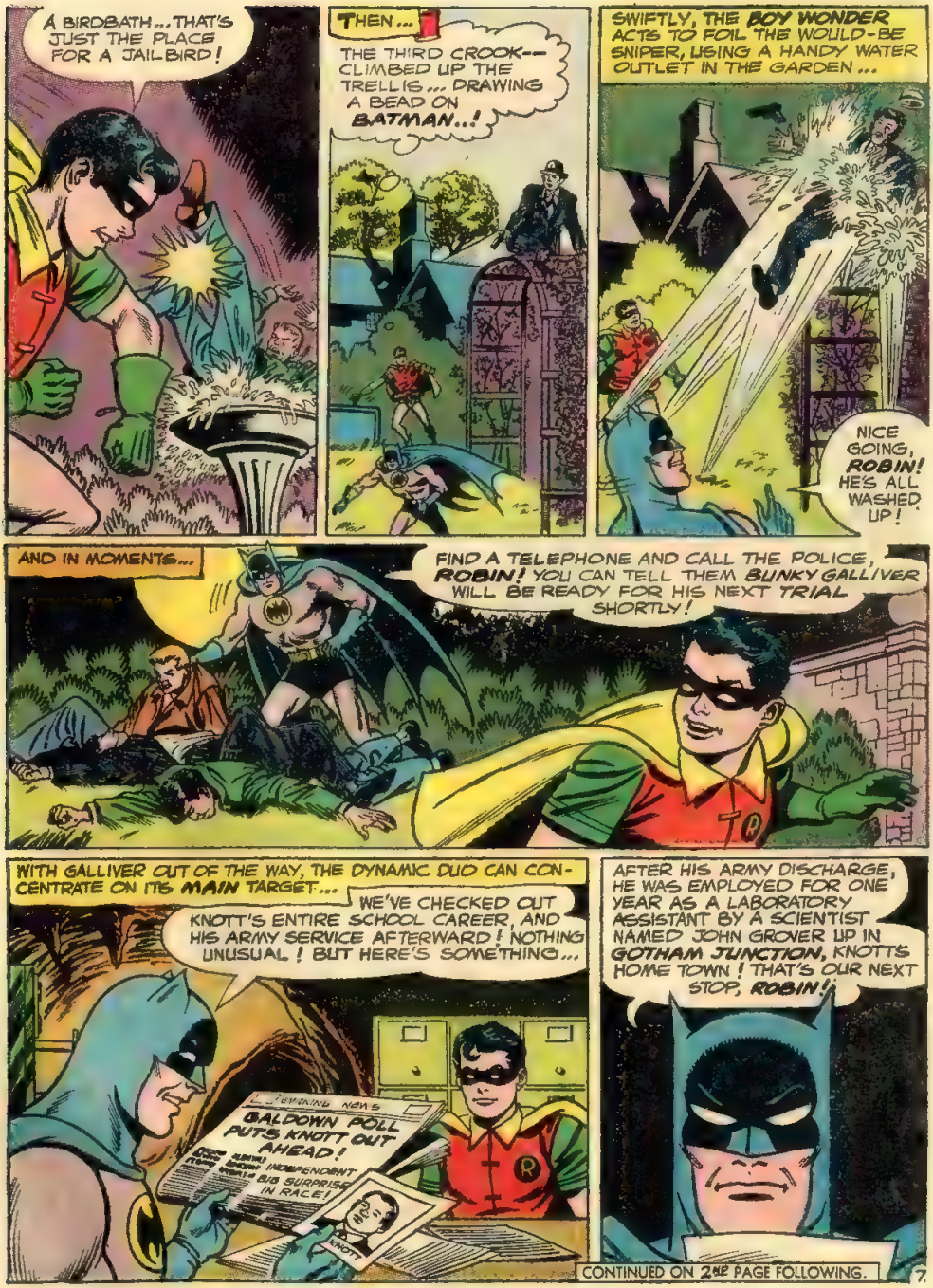

THE KELLER MANSION!? THE HOME OF THE OLD MILLIONAIRE BARTON KELLER WHO DIED LAST MONTH! THE HOUSE HAS BEEN SHUT UP SINCE THEN... BUT IT STILL CONTAINS MOST OF THE VALUABLE OBJECTS KELLER COLLECTED DURING HIS LIFETIME! COME ON, DICK--
--TIME FOR BATMAN AND ROBIN TO GET INTO ACTION.
IN THE SHADOWS OF THE NIGHT, TWO FIGURES FEARED BY ALL LAW-BREAKERS--MAKE THEIR SWIFT APPEARANCE...
SOON, UNDER THE BLEAK LIGHT OF THE WANING MOON...
THIS IS A CINCH, BUNKY! KAYOING THAT GUARD WAS EASY!
THIS STUFF IS WORTH A FORTUNE!
AT THE GATE--A HUMAN BARRIER TO THE CROOKS' GETAWAY!
BATMAN AND ROBIN!
SHOOT! OPEN UP!
LIKE TORNADOES, THE CRIME CRUSADERS SPURT AT THEIR FOES...
UHH! KNOCKED ME INTO THIS HEDGE...
GOT HIM TRAPPED IN THERE--AS EFFECTIVELY AS IF BEHIND BARS!


A BIRDBATH... THAT'S JUST THE PLACE FOR A JAILBIRD!
THEN...
THE THIRD CROOK-- CLIMBED UP THE TRELLIS... DRAWING A BEAD ON BATMAN..!
SWIFTLY, THE BOY WONDER ACTS TO FOIL THE WOULD-BE SNIPER, USING A HANDY WATER OUTLET IN THE GARDEN...
NICE GOING, ROBIN! HE'S ALL WASHED UP!
AND IN MOMENTS...
FIND A TELEPHONE AND CALL THE POLICE, ROBIN! YOU CAN TELL THEM BUNKY GALLIVER WILL BE READY FOR HIS NEXT TRIAL SHORTLY!
WITH GALLIVER OUT OF THE WAY, THE DYNAMIC DUO CAN CONCENTRATE ON ITS MAIN TARGET...
WE'VE CHECKED OUT KNOTT'S ENTIRE SCHOOL CAREER, AND HIS ARMY SERVICE AFTERWARD! NOTHING UNUSUAL! BUT HERE'S SOMETHING...
...TEMPLING NEWS
BALDOWN POLL PUTS KNOTT OUT AHEAD!
INDEPENDENT
BIG SURPRISE IN RACE!
KNOTT
AFTER HIS ARMY DISCHARGE, HE WAS EMPLOYED FOR ONE YEAR AS A LABORATORY ASSISTANT BY A SCIENTIST NAMED JOHN GROVER UP IN GOTHAM JUNCTION, KNOTT'S HOME TOWN! THAT'S OUR NEXT STOP, ROBIN!

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WE SCREENED HUNDREDS of OLSEN ADVENTURES!
WE SELECTED HIS EIGHT GREATEST SCOOPS!
Read them NOW in...
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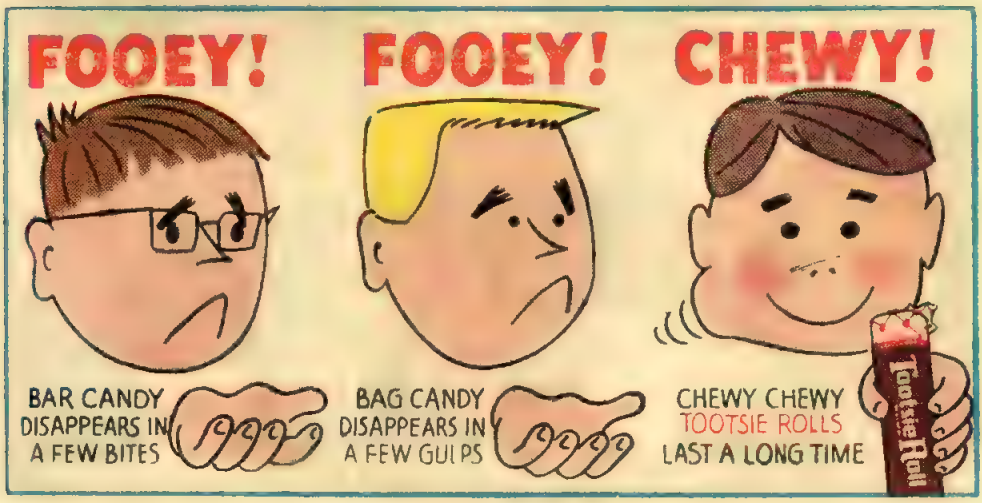
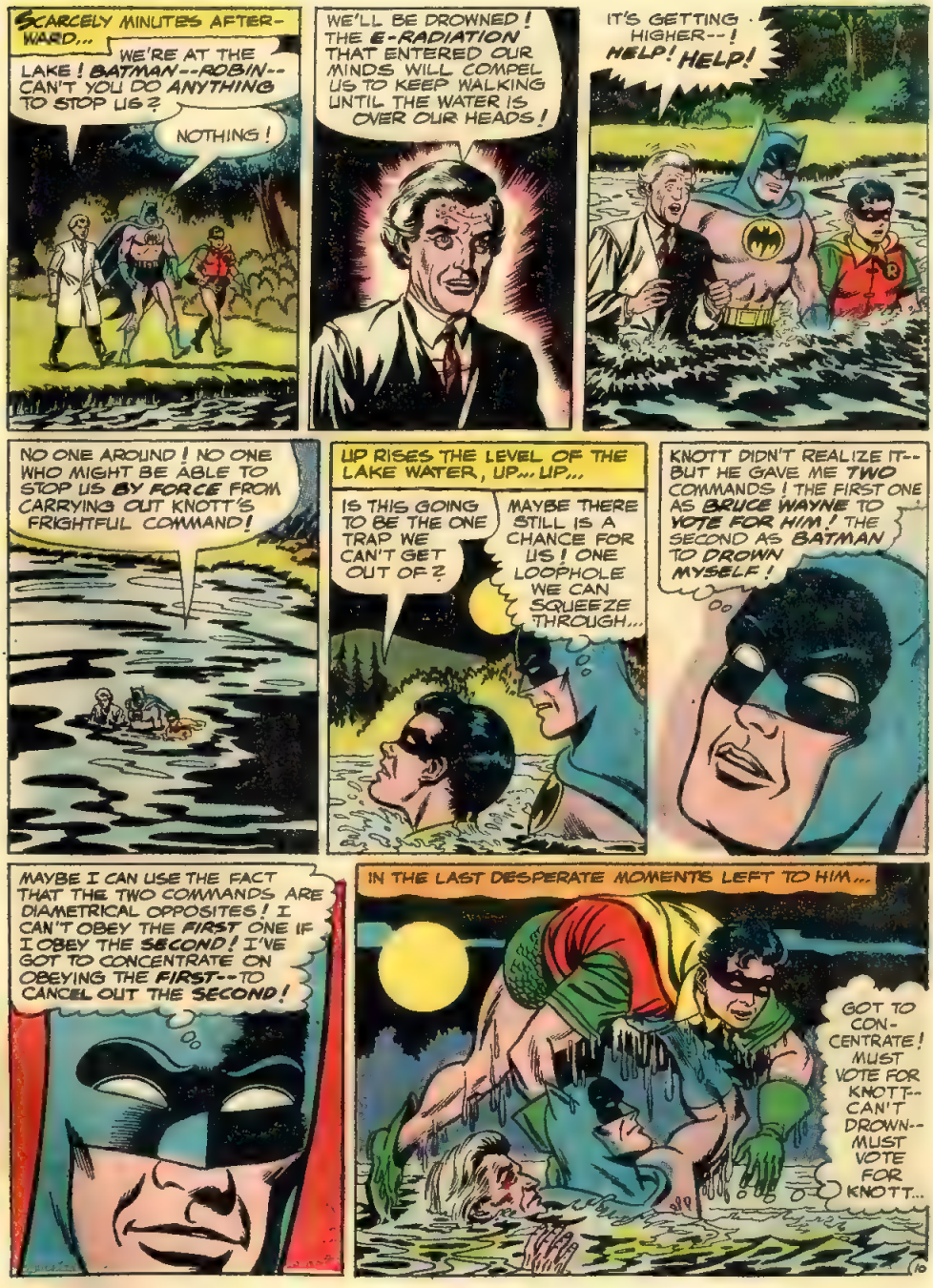
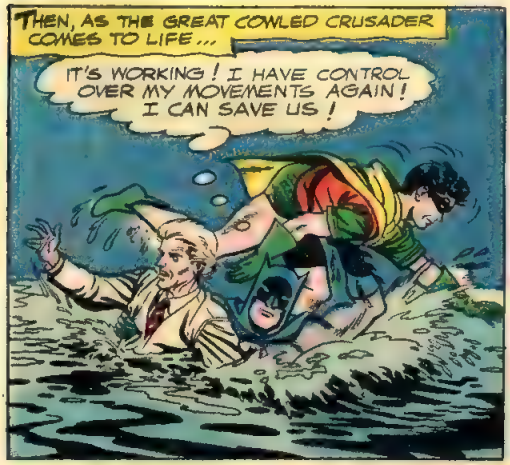
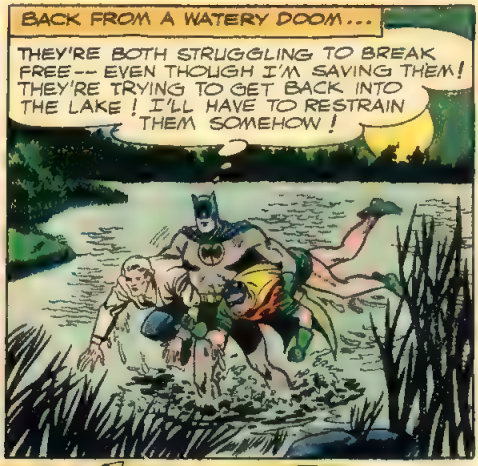

FOOEY!
FOOEY!
CHEWY!
BAR CANDY DISAPPEARS IN A FEW BITES
BAG CANDY DISAPPEARS IN A FEW GULPS
CHEWY CHEWY TOOTSIE ROLLS LAST A LONG TIME
Tootsie Roll

SOON, IN THE ISOLATED LABORATORY OF SCIENTIST GROVER...
YES, BATMAN! FRANKLIN KNOTT WORKED FOR ME, BUT I'M AFRAID I CAN'T TELL YOU MUCH ABOUT HIM! IN FACT, I HARDLY PAID ANY ATTENTION TO HIM! I REMEMBER AT THE TIME I WAS VERY ABSORBED...
...IN A CERTAIN PROPERTY OF EPSILON RADIATION--E-RAYS! I DISCOVERED THAT THE E-RAYS HAD AN ODD EFFECT ON MY LABORATORY ANIMALS! I WAS TESTING THE BEHAVIOR OF MICE THEN...
THE BEHAVIOR OF MICE? TELL ME ABOUT IT, DR. GROVER!
"WELL, I FOUND THAT BY BATHING THE RODENTS IN NEGATIVE E-RAYS I COULD REVERSE THEIR NORMAL BEHAVIOR!"
UNDER THE NEGATIVE E-RAYS, THE STARVED MICE NEVER GO INTO THE PATH THAT LEADS TO THEIR FOOD! THEY ALWAYS TAKE THE WRONG PATH!
BUT I NEVER FOUND ANY REAL USE FOR MY DISCOVERY AND I PUT IT ASIDE! BUT, BATMAN--WHY ARE YOU LOOKING AT ME LIKE THAT!?
TELL ME ONE THING, DR. GROVER...
IS IT POSSIBLE THAT THE RADIATION COULD HAVE A SIMILAR EFFECT ON HUMAN BEINGS--?
THE THOUGHT NEVER OCCURRED TO ME! I SUPPOSE IT MIGHT-IF THE E-RAYS WERE STRONG ENOUGH! BUT WHAT AN OUTLANDISH IDEA!

AFTER THE MASKED MAN-HUNTER HAS BRIEFLY REVEALED THE EVENTS LEADING UP TO HIS VISIT...
DON'T YOU SEE, DR. GROVER? KNOTT COULD HAVE USED YOUR E-RAYS TO IN-FLUENCE THE JURIES I TOLD YOU ABOUT, CAUSING THEM TO BRING IN A NEGATIVE VERDICT-- INSTEAD OF THE NORMAL GUILTY ONE!
AND SINCE YOU ASSURE US THE E-RAYS HAVE A POSITIVE ACTION ALSO, HE COULD BE USING THEM THAT WAY NOW-- TO PERSUADE PEOPLE TO VOTE FOR HIM-- WITHOUT THEIR EVEN HAVING A CHOICE IN THE MATTER!
I'VE HEARD ENOUGH--!
KNOTT!?
I GOT WIND THAT YOU WERE SNOOPING INTO MY BACKGROUND, BAT-MAN! AND I FIGURED YOU MIGHT END UP HERE! BUT WHAT YOU'VE LEARNED WON'T HELP YOU!
THAT ODD WEAPON? AT HIM, ROBIN--!
TOO LATE! I'M CHARGING YOU THREE WITH POSITIVE E-RADIATION!
ZZLLLL
YOU HAVE NO CHOICE NOW BUT TO OBEY MY POSITIVE COMMANDS! YOU WILL HEAD DIRECTLY NORTH, ALL OF YOU! WHEN YOU COME TO PIMA LAKE, YOU WILL KEEP WALKING--STRAIGHT AHEAD INTO THE LAKE!
ALL RIGHT, MY POSITIVE-CHARGED FRIENDS--WALK, TO YOUR DOOM!
CAN'T HELP OURSELVES-- WE MUST WALK!


SCARCELY MINUTES AFTER-WARD...
WE'RE AT THE LAKE! BATMAN--ROBIN--CAN'T YOU DO ANYTHING TO STOP US?
NOTHING!
WE'LL BE DROWNED! THE E-RADIATION THAT ENTERED OUR MINDS WILL COMPEL US TO KEEP WALKING UNTIL THE WATER IS OVER OUR HEADS!
IT'S GETTING HIGHER--! HELP! HELP!
NO ONE AROUND! NO ONE WHO MIGHT BE ABLE TO STOP US BY FORCE FROM CARRYING OUT KNOTT'S FRIGHTFUL COMMAND!
UP RISES THE LEVEL OF THE LAKE WATER, UP... UP...
IS THIS GOING TO BE THE ONE TRAP WE CAN'T GET OUT OF?
MAYBE THERE STILL IS A CHANCE FOR US! ONE LOOPHOLE WE CAN SQUEEZE THROUGH...
KNOTT DIDN'T REALIZE IT--BUT HE GAVE ME TWO COMMANDS! THE FIRST ONE AS BRUCE WAYNE TO VOTE FOR HIM! THE SECOND AS BATMAN TO DROWN MYSELF!
MAYBE I CAN USE THE FACT THAT THE TWO COMMANDS ARE DIAMETRICAL OPPOSITES! I CAN'T OBEY THE FIRST ONE IF I OBEY THE SECOND! I'VE GOT TO CONCENTRATE ON OBEYING THE FIRST--TO CANCEL OUT THE SECOND!
IN THE LAST DESPERATE MOMENTS LEFT TO HIM...
GOT TO CON-CENTRATE! MUST VOTE FOR KNOTT--CAN'T DROWN--MUST VOTE FOR KNOTT...


THEN, AS THE GREAT COWLED CRUSADER COMES TO LIFE...
IT'S WORKING! I HAVE CONTROL OVER MY MOVEMENTS AGAIN! I CAN SAVE US!


BACK FROM A WATERY DOOM...
THEY'RE BOTH STRUGGLING TO BREAK FREE -- EVEN THOUGH I'M SAVING THEM! THEY'RE TRYING TO GET BACK INTO THE LAKE! I'LL HAVE TO RESTRAIN THEM SOMEHOW!

AT THE LABORATORY...
I'VE LOCKED THEM IN THIS ROOM! THEY CAN'T GET OUT! I'LL BE BACK TO HELP THEM AS SOON AS I TAKE CARE OF ANOTHER PIECE OF UNFINISHED BUSINESS!
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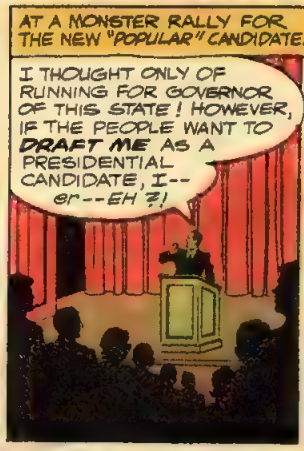
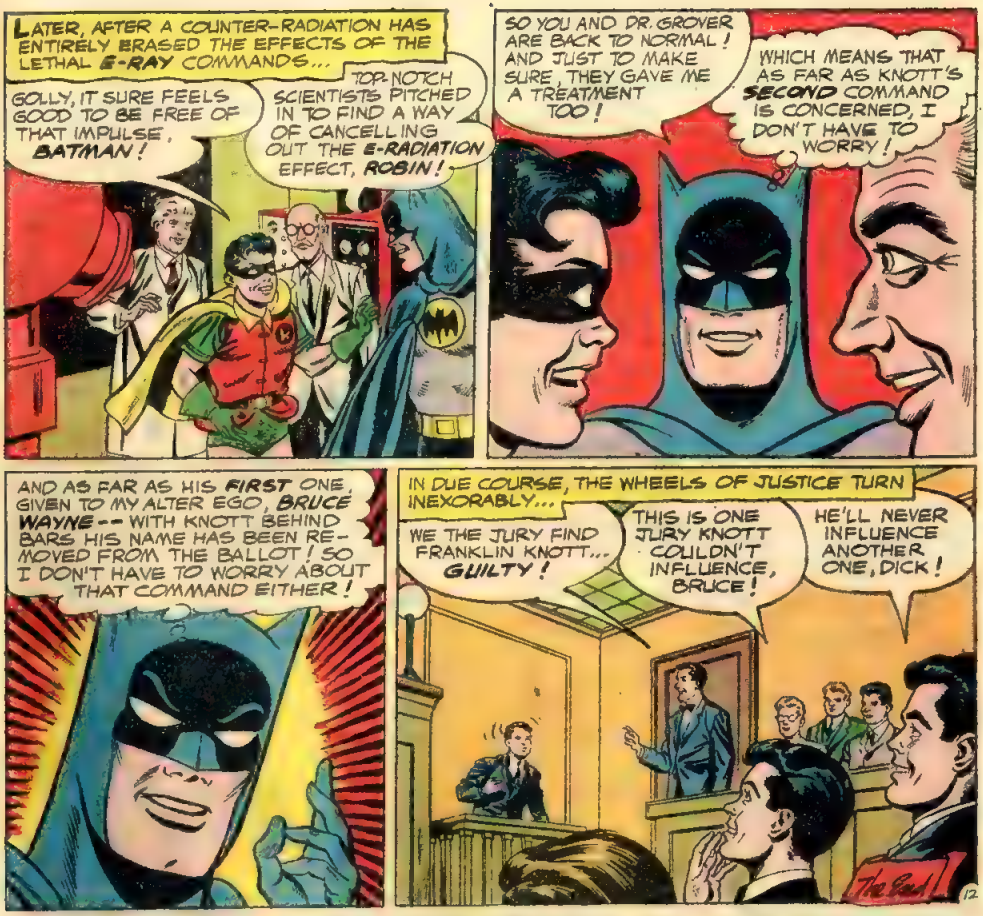

AT A MONSTER RALLY FOR THE NEW "POPULAR" CANDIDATE...
I THOUGHT ONLY OF RUNNING FOR GOVERNOR OF THIS STATE! HOWEVER, IF THE PEOPLE WANT TO DRAFT ME AS A PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE, I-- or--EH?!

ONE VOTE AGAINST!
BATMAN? HE'S HITTING MR. KNOTT! GRAB HIM--!
IT'S AN OUTRAGE!

TAKE IT EASY, FOLKS! THIS IS A DANGEROUS MAN! I COULDN'T TAKE ANY CHANCES--I HAD TO KNOCK HIM OUT FAST! YOU'LL UNDERSTAND EVERYTHING WHEN THE POLICE GET HERE!

AND LATER, WITH THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY ON THE SCENE...
THEN KNOTT IN-FLUENCED JURIES TO TEST OUT HIS E-RAYS -- PREPARATORY TO ENTERING POLITICS AND USING THEM TO WIN ELECTIONS! Hmm! INSTEAD OF A TERM IN OFFICE -- HE'LL GET A JAIL TERM!


LATER, AFTER A COUNTER-RADIATION HAS ENTIRELY ERASED THE EFFECTS OF THE LETHAL E-RAY COMMANDS...
GOLLY, IT SURE FEELS GOOD TO BE FREE OF THAT IMPULSE, BATMAN!
TOP-NOTCH SCIENTISTS PITCHED IN TO FIND A WAY OF CANCELLING OUT THE E-RADIATION EFFECT, ROBIN!
SO YOU AND DR. GROVER ARE BACK TO NORMAL! AND JUST TO MAKE SURE, THEY GAVE ME A TREATMENT TOO!
WHICH MEANS THAT AS FAR AS KNOTT'S SECOND COMMAND IS CONCERNED, I DON'T HAVE TO WORRY!
AND AS FAR AS HIS FIRST ONE, GIVEN TO MY ALTER EGO, BRUCE WAYNE -- WITH KNOTT BEHIND BARS HIS NAME HAS BEEN REMOVED FROM THE BALLOT! SO I DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT THAT COMMAND EITHER!
IN DUE COURSE, THE WHEELS OF JUSTICE TURN INEXORABLY...
WE THE JURY FIND FRANKLIN KNOTT... GUILTY!
THIS IS ONE JURY KNOTT COULDN'T INFLUENCE, BRUCE!
HE'LL NEVER INFLUENCE ANOTHER ONE, DICK!
The End
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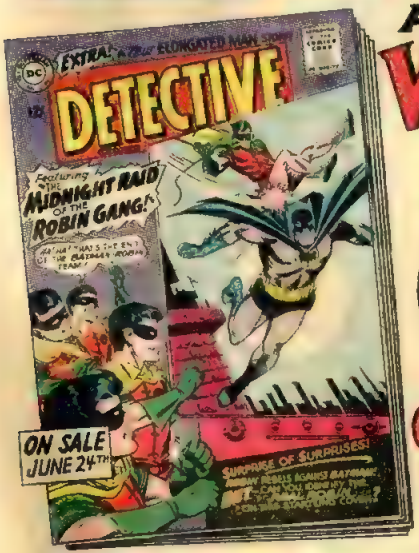
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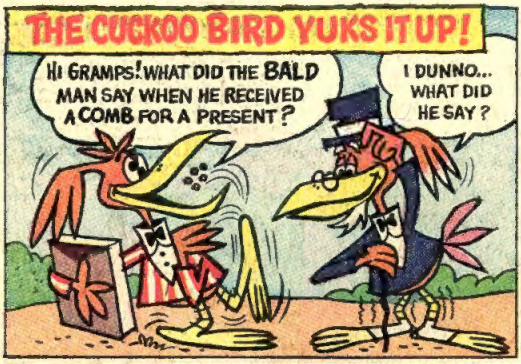

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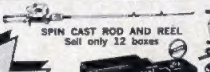
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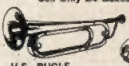
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